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IN THE UNITED STATE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Krishnaswamy RAMKUMAR, et al. ART UNIT:

SERIAL NO.: 09/975,256

EXAMINER:

FILING DATE: October 12, 2001

FOR:

METHOD FOR GROWING ULTRA THIN NITRIDED OXIDE

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

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It is	hereby requested that a □ one □ two □ three ■ four □ five		
	□ second □ third □ fourth □ fifth (amonth extension and fee	having been filed on _)
mon	th extension of time be granted to MAY 9, 2002 for:		
	filing a response to the Official Action dated:		
	responding to the requirements in the Notice of Allowability dated:		
C	filing the Formal Drawings. The Issue Fee due	has been timely filed.	
	responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated:	November 9, 2001	
	filing a Notice of Appeal. A timely response to the final rejection, due		has been filed.
C	filing an Appeal Brief. A Notice of Appeal was filed on:		

The required fee of \$1,440.00 is enclosed herewith by check and any further charges may be made against the Attorney of Record's Deposit Account No. 50-1442. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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